

**NONPROVISIONAL PATENT  
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL RULE §1.53(b)  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): FLOWER SUPPORTING DEVICE

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- ☒ 47 pages of Specification/Claims 1-12/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings Fig(s). 30; 24 sheet(s) are attached.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and \_\_\_\_\_ reference(s).
- ☒ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- ☒ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- ☒ Priority of foreign application Nos. 2003-42153, 2003-42245, 2003-42239 all filed June 26, 2003 in Japan are claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA
BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	12 - 20	= 0
INDEP CLAIMS	4 - 3	= 1
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SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	FEE
	\$ 385
x 9 =	\$
x 43 =	\$ 43
+145 =	\$ 145
TOTAL	\$ 573

LARGE ENTITY	
RATE	FEE
	\$ 770
x 18	\$
x 86	\$
+290	\$
TOTAL	\$

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$573.00. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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